

Income from Timber.

37. * Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: Will the Government be pleased to state the amounts realised by the Forest Department from timber in the years 1118, 1119 and 1120 respectively?

Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar (Conservator of Forests):

Year.	Amount realised by sale of timber.
1118.	Rs. 27,52,565
1119.	Rs. 46,14,646
1120.	Rs. 46,11,124

Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: മിന്നിട്ടുള്ള തടികളിൽ ഭൂരിപക്ഷം തേക്ക തടികൾ ആയിരുന്നോ?

Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar: അല്ല.

Timber in the Perunchani area.

38. * Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: Will the Government be pleased to state:

- (a) from how many acres of the Perunchani Scheme area timber has to be felled and removed; and
- (b) the arrangements that have been made or are in contemplation for the removal and disposal of the timber?

Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar: (a) About 2000 acres.

(b) All saleable timber is being worked down to sale Depots by contractors for the usual departmental sales therefrom.

Collection and sale of honey by the Forest Department.

39. * Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: Will the Government be pleased to state:

- (a) the amount of honey collected by the Forest Department in 1118, 1119 and 1120 respectively; and
- (b) the sale proceeds of honey realised in the respective years?

Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar:

	Year.	1118.	1119.	1120.
(a) Quantity of honey collected (in paras)		186	277	349
(b) Sale proceeds realised	S. Rs.	4,434	4,908	3,725

Lease of Forest lands.

40. * Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: Will the Government be pleased to state:

[Mr. A. N. Satyanesan.]

(a) the area of Forest lands leased out on Kuthagupattom in the years 1118, 1119 and 1120 respectively ;

(b) the area actually cultivated in the respective years ; and

(c) the revenue realised by Government from this source in the respective years ?

Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar :

(a) 1118—5726 acres.

1119— 329 do.

1120—1668 do.

(b) 1118—3685 do.

1119—3266 do. (including 329 acres leased out in 1119).

1120—4007 do. (including 1668 acres leased in 1120).

(c) 1118—Rs. 72,033.

1119—Rs. 62,835. (This amount includes the lease amount for 1119 on the blocks leased out in 1118 also).

1120—Rs. 58,956. (This amount includes the lease amount for 1120 on the blocks leased out in 1118 and 1119 also).

Sale of timber.

41. *Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether they have set apart any percentage of the timber produced in the Forests of the State and cut and removed yearly for sale to Travancore for bonafide house construction and for agricultural building ;

(b) the total quantity of timber exported from Travancore in 1120 and the total amount of timber sold to Travancore in 1120 for purposes of house construction and agricultural buildings ; and

(c) whether they have fixed any special price for timber sold to the Travancoreans for bonafide house construction and agricultural buildings and implements ?

Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar : (a) The whole of the timber cut and removed yearly from the Forests of the State is available for bonafide house construction and agricultural building.

(b) 1592451 c. ft. Particulars regarding the total quantity of timber sold in Travancore in 1120 for purposes of house construction and agricultural buildings are not available.